

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1-19 (canceled)

20. (Previously presented) Encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes comprising:

- a) hydrophilic solid particles in which at least one of aromas and perfumes are enclosed, wherein the hydrophilic solid particles are obtained by a fluidized bed spray granulation process, and
- b) a casing comprising a modified cellulose which encases said solid particles, said casing having reversible gel formation as temperature increases.

21. (Original) Aromas and/or perfumes according to Claim 20, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 1 to 50% by weight of modified cellulose.

22. (Original) Aromas and/or perfumes according to Claim 21, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 2 to 20% by weight of modified cellulose.

23. (Original) Aromas and/or perfumes according to Claim 22, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 5 to 10% by weight of modified cellulose.

24. (Previously presented) Encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes

comprising:

- a) hydrophilic solid particles and
- b) a casing encasing said solid particles, said casing consisting of a modified cellulose which encases at least one of aromas and perfumes, said casing having reversible gel formation as temperature increases,

wherein said modified cellulose is selected from the group consisting of methyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl methyl cellulose, ethyl cellulose, ethyl methyl cellulose, and mixtures thereof.

25. (Previously presented) A process for producing encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes, the process comprising:

- a) producing at least one of aroma and perfume particles by a fluidized bed spray granulation; and
- b) coating the at least one of aroma and perfume particles with a modified cellulose, wherein reversible gelation occurs with temperature increase.

26. (Original) A process according to Claim 25, wherein the aroma particles and/or perfume particles are produced by fluidized-bed spray granulation of an aqueous emulsion of aroma and/or perfumes and hydrophilic supports.

27. (Original) A process according to Claim 25, wherein the aroma and/or perfume particles are coated in a fluidized-bed apparatus.

28. (Original) A process according to Claim 25, wherein said modified cellulose is added to the aroma and/or perfume particles.

29. (Original) A process according to Claim 25, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 1 to 50% by weight of modified cellulose.

30. (Original) A process according to Claim 29, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 2 to 20% by weight of modified cellulose.

31. (Original) A process according to Claim 30, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 5 to 10% by weight of modified cellulose.

32. (Previously presented) A process for producing encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes comprising:

producing at least one of aroma and perfume particles by a fluidized bed spray granulation;

coating the at least one of aroma and perfume particles with a modified cellulose, wherein reversible gelation occurs with temperature increase;

wherein said modified cellulose is selected from the group consisting of methyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl methyl cellulose, ethyl cellulose, ethyl methyl cellulose, or mixture thereof.

33. (Previously presented) A process for enriching products with at least one of aromas and perfumes comprising:

adding said at least one of encapsulated aromas and perfumes to the products, wherein said at least one of encapsulated aromas and perfumes comprise (a) hydrophilic solid particles obtained by a fluidized bed spray granulation process, and (b) a casing which encases said solid particles, the casing having a modified cellulose, said casing having reversible gel formation as temperature increases.

34. (Original) A process according to Claim 33, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 1 to 50% by weight of modified cellulose.

35. (Original) A process according to Claim 34, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 2 to 20% by weight of modified cellulose.

36. (Original) A process according to Claim 35, wherein said hydrophilic solid particles comprise 5 to 10% by weight of modified cellulose.

37. (Previously presented) A process for enriching products with at least one of aromas and perfumes comprising:

adding said at least one of encapsulated aromas and perfumes to the products, wherein said at least one of encapsulated aromas and perfumes comprise (a) hydrophilic solid

particles obtained by a fluidized bed spray granulation process and (b) a casing which encases said solid particles, the casing having a modified cellulose, said casing having reversible gel formation as temperature increases;

wherein said modified cellulose is selected from the group consisting of methyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl methyl cellulose, ethyl methyl cellulose, or mixture thereof.

38. (Original) A process according to Claim 33, wherein said products, during or after addition of the encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes, are heated to temperatures above the flocculation point of the modified cellulose.

39. (Original) A process according to Claim 33, wherein said products are selected from the group consisting of food products and consumer articles.

40. (Original) A process according to Claim 39, wherein said food products are selected from the group consisting of tea infusion bags, instant sauce powders, prepared sauces, pasteurized drinks, chewing sweets and wafers.

41. (Original) A process according to Claim 39, wherein said consumer articles are detergents.

42. (Currently amended) At least one of encapsulated aromas

and perfumes consisiting of ~~comprising~~:

hydrophilic solid particles in which the at least one of aromas and perfumes are enclosed, the hydrophilic solid particles obtained by a fluidized bed spray granulation process, and

a casing ~~consisting of~~ comprising a modified cellulose which encases said solid particles, said casing having reversible gel formation as temperature increases.

43. (Currently amended) Encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes ~~comprising~~ consisting of:

- a) hydrophilic solid particles and
- b) a casing encasing said solid particles, said casing consisting of a modified cellulose which encases at least one of aromas and perfumes, said casing having reversible gel formation as temperature increases,

~~wherein said modified cellulose is selected from the group consisiting of methyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl methyl cellulose, ethyl methyl cellulose, and mixtures thereof.~~

44. (Currently amended) A process for producing encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes, ~~the process comprising the step of~~:

producing at least one of aroma and perfume particles ~~which are produced~~ by a fluidized bed spray granulation process;

coating the at least one of aroma and perfume particles with a modified cellulose, wherein reversible gelation occurs

with temperature increase;

wherein said modified cellulose is selected from the group consisting of methyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl cellulose, hydroxypropyl methyl cellulose, ~~ethyl cellulose~~, ethyl methyl cellulose, or mixture thereof.

45. (New) A process for producing encapsulated aromas and/or perfumes, the process consisting of:

- a) producing at least one of aroma and perfume particles by a fluidized bed spray granulation process; and
- b) coating the at least one of aroma and perfume particles with a modified cellulose.